

seuene candilsticks of gold. & in  
pe myddel of pe seuene candilthe  
his golden: con lyk to pe lone of  
ma clonid wip along: garuemet  
& gird at pe teetis wip a golden  
girdil: and pe heed of hi & his hee  
ris. Were whut as whut wolle:  
& as snow: & pe fzen of hi as flam  
me of fyer: & his feet lyk to la  
tou as in a brennyge chymenei:  
& pe vois of hi: as pe vois of  
many watris: & he hadde in his  
rythond seuene steris: & a  
kiserd wharp on euey side: we  
te out of his moun: & his face:  
as pe fime whynny in his bren  
& whane: & hadde seyn hi: & fel  
de dou at his feet as deed: & he  
puttude his rythond on me: &  
seide: nyle p' dret: / I am pe fir  
ste & pe laste: & I am alyue & I  
was deed: & lo I am lymyge into  
wordis of wordis: & I haue pe  
keyes of deop & of helle: p' fore  
wryte you whiche pigis p' hast  
seyn: & whiche ben: & whiche it  
bihouey to be don afur pes pigis:  
pe sacramet of pe seuene ster  
ris. Whiche you sprest in my ry  
thond: & pe seuene goldu candil  
sticks: pe seuene steris: be an  
gels of pe seuene churchis: & pe  
seuene candilsticks: ben se  
uene churchis. **¶**

**A**nd to pe angel of pe  
church of efesus: wry  
te you pes pigis seyn he p' holdy  
pe seuene steris in his rythond:  
whiche walky in pe myddel of pe  
seuene goldu candilsticks: / wo  
ot p' werkis & trauel: & p' paci  
ence: & p' you want not suffre  
ynel me: & you hast alynd he p'

seyn pat pe ben apostis & ben  
not: & you hast foude he heris:  
& p' hast patience: & p' hast suffrid  
for my name: & failedest not: but  
I haue azens pee asewe pigis:  
p' you hast lest p' fustecharte:  
p' fore be you myddel ful fro wher  
you hast falle: & do penance: & do  
pe fuste werkis: erwelis: / I co  
me to pee soone: & I shal wone  
p' candilstick fro his place:  
but you do penance: but p' hast  
pis good pig: p' you hastidest pe  
dis of nycholapris pe whiche al  
so I hate: he p' hap eers heere he  
whar pe spyrut seyn to pe churchis  
to hy p' oncomy: / I shal zyne to  
ete of pe tre of lyf: p' is in pe pa  
radys of my god. **¶** And to pe an  
gel of pe church of Smyrna wry  
te you pes pigis seyn pe fuste &  
pe laste: p' was deed & lymyge /  
woot p' tribulacioun: & p' ponert:  
but you art ryche: & you art bla  
ssmed of he pat seyn p' ben  
ieus & ben not: but ben pe sy  
nagoge of sathanas: dret you  
no pig of pes pigis whiche you  
shalt suffre: / lo pe deuyl shal se  
de fime of zyn into p' bry: p' ze  
be teptid: & ze shul haue tribu  
lacioun: ten dayes: be you fersid  
to pe deop: & I shal zyne to pee a  
crokne of lyf: he p' hap eers  
heer he: whar pe spyrut seyn to  
pe churchis: he p' oncomy: / I shal  
not be hurt of pe secunde deop: / And  
to pe angel of pe church of per  
gam: wryte you pes pigis seyn  
he pat hap pe siberd wharp on  
ech syde: / woot wher you dwel  
lit: wher pe seete of sathanas  
is: & you holdist my name & seyn

edist not my fery: & in yodanes  
was antias my feryful wrytel  
se p' was clapynt zyn: wher sa  
thanas dwelth: but I haue azen  
pee a feibe pigis: for you hast per  
me holdige pe techis of balam:  
whiche taryte balat: for to sente  
alaudre bifoze pe lones of israhel:  
to ete of sacrifices of ydolis: &  
to do fornicacioun: so also you hast  
me holdige pe techis of nycholap  
ris: also do you penance: if ony  
pig lesse: / I shal come soone to p'  
& I shal fytte wip he: wip pe  
siberd of my moun: he p' hap ee  
ris heere he: whar pe spyrut seyn  
to pe churchis: to hy p' oncomy:  
/ I shal zyne angel mete hyd: & I  
shal zyne to hym a whut stoon:  
& in pe stoon a newe name wrytu  
whiche no ma knowy: but he p'  
taky. **¶** And to pe angel of pe church  
of tyatra: wryte p' pes pigis  
seyn pe lone of god: p' hap yze  
as flawme of fyer: & hile feet  
lyk latou: / I knowe p' werkis &  
fery & charite: & p' seruple & p'  
patience: & p' laste werkis no  
pan pe former: but I haue a  
zens pee a feibe pigis: for you  
suffrid pe woma jelabel whiche  
seyn p' she is a profetesse: to te  
che & disseyne my seruantis: to  
do lecherie: & to ete of pigis of  
fryd to ydolis: & I zaf to hy tyme  
p' she shulde do penance: & she  
wolde not do penance of her for  
nyncacioun: & lo I sente hy into  
abed: & pe p' doen lecherie w'  
hyr: shulen be in moost tribula  
cioun: but pei do penance of  
her werkis: & I shal slo her so  
nes into deop: & alle churchis sh

ule wryte: p' I am serchige rey  
nes & hertis: & I shal zyne to  
ech man of zyn afur: his werkis:  
& I seie to you & to opere p' ben  
at triuwe: who eue han pis te  
chig: & p' fneibe not pe hynelle  
of sathanas: how pei seyn: / I sh  
al not sente on zyn anopre char  
ge: nepeles holte ze pat p' ze ha:  
til I come: & to hy p' shal oncome:  
& pat shal kepe til into pe ende  
my werkis: / I shal zyne werkis:  
/ I shal zyne pouer on folkis: & he  
shal gofme hem in an yrn zerd:  
& pei shulen be brok to gudre:  
as a velle of a potter: as also  
I resseyne of my fadyr: & I sh  
al zyne to hy a mozte ster: he  
p' hap eers heer he: whar pe spyr  
ut seyn to pe churchis. **¶**

**A**nd to pe angel of pe church  
of sardis: wryte p'  
pes pigis seyn he p' hap  
pe seuene spyrutis of god: & pe  
seuene steris: / woot p' werkis:  
for you hast a name p' you lyued:  
& you art deed: be p' wakige: and  
coferme p' ope pigis p' were to  
dyinge: for I fynde not p' werkis  
fille bifoze my god: p' fore haue  
you in myde how you resseyne  
dest & herdest: & kepe & do penan  
ce: p' fore if p' wake not: / I shal  
come as a nyzt peef to peef: you  
shalt not wite in what oin: / I sh  
al come to pee: but you hast a fe  
ibe names in sardis: whiche han  
not desouhd her clonid: & pei shu  
len walke wip me in whute clonid:  
for pei ben woxy: he p' oncomy:  
shale be clonid pis wip whute do  
pis: & I shal not do aney his na  
me fro pe book of lyf: & I shal